

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants:	Bakis et al.	Examiner:	A. Armstrong
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For:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RESCORING N-BEST HYPOTHESES OF AN AUTOMATIC SPEECH RECOGNITION SYSTEM		

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Examiner:

This is a response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2009. Please amend the application as follows: